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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of:

Examiner: Shelley A. Dodson

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Title: COMPOSITIONS FOR ACHIEVING A THERAPEUTIC EFFECT IN AN  
ANATOMICAL STRUCTURE AND METHODS OF USING THE SAME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312**

Dear Examiner Dodson:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312, Applicants respectfully requests the above-identified application to be amended as indicated herein.